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## Justice of the Peace Eighty Years Old Arrested For Incendiarism

By the Developments of The Past Week.

THREE MEN LODGED IN JAIL

Intense excitement was caused in Hawthorne and surrounding territory Saturday by the action of the State Constabulary in arresting Justice of the Peace J. A. Timlin, a man almost eighty years of age, on a charge of complicity in incendiarism. At the same time two young men, William Latshaw, Jr., aged 17, and Charles Schrecongost, aged 18, were arrested charged with complicity in the deeds.

Since November the citizens of Haw thorne have been kept in terror by repeated fires of incendiary origin. Five barns and one house were destroyed and no clue could be found to origin. The State Constabulary finally called in and through detive work finally secured evidence plicating Latshaw. The young man nied his guilt at first but a process of sweating brought out a full confession, in which Schrecongost was named as his partner in the incendiary acts and Timlin as the instigator. The aged justice refused to talk when arrested. If found gully as charged, all three will receive penitentiary sentences not exceeding twelve years.

The alleged reason for 'Squire Timlin's downfall is that he had long desired to purchase a hotel owned by Al Simpson, but being unable to secure it lawfully, had had the barns burned around it in the hope of the fire reaching and destroying the hotel. Timlin's whole career had been honorable. He is well known in his own county and the news of his alleged complicity in incendiarism created a profound sen-

#### **Beechwoods Pastor** Wins Cash Prize

Sermon Appears in the March Number of The Delineator Magazine.

The March number of The Delineator is of especial interest to Beechwoods and Reynoldsville people. It contains non written by Rev. George H Hill, pastor of the Beechwoods Presbyterian church, on "The Child Mission." Last summer the Delineator, which is conducting a Child-Rescue Campaign, offered prizes for sermons to be preached on that subject or along the line of the American bomes. The ser mons were to be preached in the home churches, after which the manuscripts were submitted to the department in the Delineator which selected the prize winners. Mr. Hill's sermon won the second prize \$300, and the sermon is published in full in the current number. Mr. Hill chose for his text, "A little child shall lead them," from Isaiah 11:6, and dwelt at length on the prevailing decrease of families. He condemns race suicide in the strongest terms.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Property Changes in Jefferson County Put Upon Record

Wm. R. Morrison to Wm. H. Pifer for 40 acres in Winslow township, \$800.

George R. Matson, et al., to Ray H. Richards, for lot in Brookville, \$2,000. February 11, 1909.

W. H. Reber, to Frank Cotallo, et. al., for 54 acres and 51 perches in lerson township, \$2,100. January

J. B. Sykes to United Traction Street R. Co., for 83-1000 acre in Sykes-ville, \$400. November 13, 1908.

Austin Blakeslee to United Traction Extension Street R. R. Co., for land in Henderson township, \$1.00.

G. R. Galbraith to Ray H. Richards, for lot in Rose township, \$1.00. February 8, 1909.

The time of Idleness

ss means trouble for anyone. Its the same with a lazy liver. It constinution, headache, jaundice, plexion, pimples and blotches, loss of appetite, nausea, but Dr. King's New Life Pills soon banish liver troubles and build up your health. 250 at Stoke & Feicht Drug Co.'s store.

#### Hawthorne Profoundly Stirred Rossiter Man Kills Ten-Year-Old Boy

Murderer Escaped And Has Not Since Been Apprehended By Constabulary.

Infuriated by drink, Lewis Williams, of Rossiter, went to the home of Mrs. Lucy Johnston, a "grass widow" Wednesday night and during an altercation with the woman shot and killed her ten-year-old son, Glen Johnston. Williams had just drawn his pay and became drunk on the surplus of cash that day. When he reached the gate of the Johnston home he had trouble in steering his course between the posts and Glen Johnston came to his assistance. When the house was reached a quarrel commenced during which a poker was used over Williams by the woman or her son and Williams promptly opened fire with a revolver. The woman escaped but the lad fell, a bullet penetrating his body. When Mrs. Johnston returned with assistance Williams had disappeared. The State Constabulary took up the case and traced him to Clearfield. He has not yet been apprehended.

### Honey Concern **Expanding Business**

George H. Rea Will Manage Branch In New Mexico This Summer.

George H. Rea, manager of the Rea Bee and Honey Company of Reynoldsville, returned from Mesilla Park, New Mexico, last week, where he had gone in the interest of his company. While in New Mexico Mr. Rea negotiated the lease of a thousand colonies of honey bees for the Rea Bee and Honey Company and a branch business will be established at that place with Mr. Rea in charge. Mr. Rea will return to New Mexico in a short time and remain there during the summer.

Since the organization of the Rea Bee and Honey Company last fall the business has been so successfully conducted that it is now on a paying basis and the company is justified ing its operations.

#### Bryan Will Appear In Brookville Friday

Y. M. C. A. Secures Him For Afternoon Lecture In The Belvedere.

Hon, William Jennings Bryan will deliver his famous lecture, "The Prince of Peace," in the Belvedere opera house, Brookville, on the afternoon of Friday March 12th, under the suspices | did not lose any time. of the Brookville Y. M. C. A. Visitors from Reynoldsville can go down on the train leaving this pisce at 1.29, reaching Brookville at 1.59, hear the entire lecture and return in time for supper. Tickets will go on sale at 9.00 o'clock on the morning of March 1st. Reserved seats \$1.00. 'Phone orders will be filled and tickets held for remittance until the morning of March 10th, when all tickets unpaid for will be placed on sale and resold. The opera house will seat 1100 people and indications are that those desiring seats will have to buy

#### Beale and Penrose Have Locked Horns

Indiana Postmastership In Dispute in Congress.

Congressman J. G. Beale and Senator Boles Penrose are having a merry tug of war to see who names a new postmaster at Indiana. As representative Mr. Beale apparently should have the privilege but as chairman of the Comlittee on Postoffices Penrose is using his power to prevent action on Beale's choice, Capt. McLain.

#### Flag Presentation On Friday Night

Patriotic Program Prepared And Will Be Rendered In Assembly Hall.

As announced in THE STAR last week a large American flag will be presented to the public schools of Reynoldsville borough by Washington Camp No. 268, P. O. S. of A. of Reynoldsville Friday evening, February 26th. The presentation exercises will be held in Assembly hall commencing at 8.15 and will be free to all, with an urgent invitation to all interested in the schools to be present. The program is patriotic to the core and will instil into the minds of all who attend deeper reverence for the Stars and Stripes.

THE PROGRAM.

America...... By the School Invocation, ...... Rev. J. C. McEntire Columbia......By the School Response..... Dr. J. C. Sayers Overture......America

By Orchestra. Hon. W. I. Swoope, of Clearfield, who will make the presentation address, is an orator who has appeared before audiences all over the union and has won enthusiastic commendations from such men as Ex Senator Thurston, of Nebraska, Senator Scott, of West Virginia, Dr. George E. Reed, of Dickinson College, and others. Speaking of an address given at Corry, Pa., the Daily Leader said: "Mr. Swoope is a son of the late H. B. Swoope, whose oratory was known far and wide. The son seems to have inherited the elocution and flow of words of his father. and for an hour held the audience spellbound by his arguments, fine delivery and beautiful perorations. He was cheered frequently during his address, and at its conclusion received a lengthened applause--an endeavor to bring him again before the audience.'

HE KNEW LINCOLN.

An Old Soldier, Formerly of Reynolds ville, Writes Interestingly of War Experience.

Verona, Pa., Feb. 22nd, 1909.

EDITOR THE STAR: Having read in your paper of the Lincoln birthday commemoration, the reminiscences of some of the veterans bring to my mind recollections of President Lincoln and wife as I saw them during the time I was in the Veteran Reserve Corps in Washington City. Lincoln visited the Soldiers' Home almost every day. She frequently accompanied him. I once saw Mrs. Lincoln thrown from the carriage and painfully though not seriously injured. They passed our encampment in going to the Soldiers' Home.

The night of the assassination we were called out to surround the city to prevent the escape of the assassin, but, as you all know, it was too late, he making good his escape, although we

I was also one of those detailed to do guard duty in the prison where Harold, Payne, Atzerott and Mrs. Surcatt were confined and knew them quite well by sight. We were not permitted to speak to them or answer them, however. They were not allowed tobacco. Yet once I broke the rule and do not know what the penalty would have been had I been found out. Atzerott said to me: "Guard, for Heaven's sake, give me a chew of tobacco." I turned so that I might move backwards against his cell and gave him a piece of tobacco as I J. S. BARTLE

Seared With a Hot Iron

Verona, Pa.

Or scalded by overturned kettle-cnt with a knife-bruised by slammed door -injured by gun or in any other waythe thing needed at once is Bucklen's Arnica Salve to subdue inflammation and kill the pain. It's earth's supreme healer, infallible for boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c at Stoke & Feicht Drug Co.'s store.

All Hats Must Go.

Come and get a hat at your own price. Trimmed to suit without extra MRS. L. P. MILLER.

Men's arctics \$1.25 a pair. Adam's.

### **ELECTION RESULTS TUESDAY**

Republicans Swept Winslow Township; Split Tickets Elsewhere.

RESULTS IN COUNTY TOWNS

The election in Winslow township last Tuesday resulted in a number of surprises. The Republicans carried everything for which they had placed men in the field and in the offices they didn't the Democrats had the consolation of winning hands down. The results in the four precincts and the winners were as tollows:

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*Frank Hillis, R	48	63	21	44
John M. Norris, D	33	36	1	16
Tax Collector				
*Amos Strouse, R	70	65	121	42
J. A. Lindy, D	13		1	
Auditor				1000
*W. W. Reiter, D	33	54	12	29
Judge	1			.77 G.
*David Hollenbaugh		56	44	
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Charles Norris, D. . . . 54 . . . . P. M. Wells, R. . . . . 9 . . . We were unable to secure complete returns in the various precincts of the election officers, but the winners in the first and first and fourth precincts were

First, Judge of election, Joseph Mc-Nell; Inspector, Thomas McNell; Register, Benjamin Hocking.

as follows:

Fourth, Judge of election, Wm. Rodweil; Inspector, David Bell; Register, Ishmael Rodwell.

HENDERSON TOWNSHIP.

L. H. Reed, Rep., Justice of the Peace; Rysome Wayne and A. J. Sprague, Democrats, for the full term as directors, and George Pifer for one year of the unexpired term of August Weber, removed. Supervisor, Thomas J. Fye, Rep.; Tax Collector, J. W. Haag, by an unanimous vote as there was no opposition, James Miller, Dem., for auditor.

SYKESVILLE BOROUGH.

Burgess, J. L. Shaffer; Council, J. C. Shaffer, C. C. Gadd; School Directors, D. H. Estes, Geo. E. Null; Tax Collecter, J. C. Weber; Auditor, Wm.

BROCKWAYVILLE.

Burgess, W. M. Brown; Council, Ivan Sibley, John Tobin; School Directors, L. M. Groves, G. H. Humphreys: Tax Collector, Nelson; Auditor, Johnston.

PUNXSUTAWNEY.

Burgess, P. O. Freas; Justice of the Peace, N. D. Corey; Tax Collector, Jas. S. Lockard; School Directors, W. W. Winslow, E. C. McGibbin, A. W. Calloway; Treasurer, H. H. McHenry; Auditor, John F. Crosby.

BROOKVILLE.

Burgess, Harry McMurray; Council, R. Arthurs, W. N. Conrad, School Directors, T. C. Swartz; B. M. Moore, Tax Collector, E. G. Heasley: Auditor, Edward Hopkins; Poor Overseer, John Startzell.

Twas a Glorious Victory.

There's rejoicing in Fedora, Tenn. A man's life has been saved, and now Dr. King's Mew Discovery is the talk of the town for curing C. V. Pepper of deadly lung hemorrhages. "I could not work nor get about',' he writes, "and the doctors did me no good, but, after using Dr. King's New Discovery three weeks, I feel like a new man, and can do good work again." For weak, sore or deseased lungs, coughs, colds, hemorrhages, hay fever, lagrippe, as-thma or any bronchial affection it stands unrivaled. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold and guaranteed by Stoke & Feicht Drug Co.

Solid heel, two buckle artics \$1.75.

I bought a pair of Men's-ease shoes at Adam's for \$3.00, wore them to work for 13 months, had them half-soled 9 times and they are not worn out yet. Thos. Deegan.

# FIRST WIRELESS TELEGRAPH **EXHIBIT IN REYNOLDSVILLE**

### Planning For Operation of Enamel Plant

Working Capital Of Company Increased to Meet New Operating Expenses.

G. A. Conrath, of Indiana, was in Reynoldsville Friday looking after the interest of his company in the recently acquired "steel plant." The company's plans for reorganizing their business on a larger basis after putting the Reynoldsville plant in operation are far reaching and will necessitate a slight issue of treasury stock to provide operating expenses. The selling of this stock, however, is being conducted by representatives of the company or their authorized agents and the purchase of the Reynoldsville plant is in no wise contingent on its flotation. The company's stock is held largely in Indiana county and is on a dividend basis, being to that extent a good investment for any person desiring it. A number of Reynoldsville people have expressed a desire to share in the prosperity of the concern and for their benefit and for others who wish a safe and conservative investment, it is probable that a small block will be given to a Reynoldsville agent. It should be regarded strictly as an investment privilege however and is not connected in any way with the recent work of the Association in negotiating the deal.

Among the prominent stockholders in this company are Ex-Congressman Summers M. Jack, Hon. John S. Fisher, W. A. Guthrie, Hon. T. M. Kurtz and other gentleman well known in Reynoldsville.

Buy the best shoes, Walk-Overs a

# When Dreams Gome True.

Have you dreamed of a home of your own, where the long-ings of a renter's life time should come true? Now is the time to make that dream a realization—this spring. Buy a lot. See an architect. Talk with a building contractor. Make that little home you have had in mind so longhave had in mind so long—with the hardwood floors and man-size bath tub—a reality. We have some fine lots for sale. If you want a home already built let us show you the following:

Two houses on Jackson st., on paved end near Fifth st., both on one lot, 50 x 150 feet. Also good barn on same lot. Will sell together or separately. One 6-room, one 7-room.

House and lot on Jackson st., justabove Coal Company office. Six rooms, with cellar, laundry and bath.

House and lot and vacant lot on Brown street, West Reyn-oldsville. Bargains.

Brick veneered house of 9-rooms with bath and cellar, on Pike st., West Reynoldsyille. Good lot, good garden and nice chicken coop.

These are only a few of the argains we have. See us for farms, city business property and business propositions. We have got what you want: if we have not we will find it for you cheaper than you can.

Remember we also have SEWER CLEAN

that will keep your sinks, vats and closets disinfected and in a sanitary condition, and Sew-er Clean Double XX that will remove all stoppage in your sewer and drain pipes.

#### REYNOLDSVILLE CHEMICAL CO.

ROBT. Z. PARRISH, MGR.

A Scientific Demonstration of Special Interest in Parlor Of Imperial Hotel.

WITNESSED BY LOCAL PEOPLE

The first demonstration of wireless telegraphy since its discovery was made in Reynoldsville Friday afternoon and evening, February 19th, in the parlor of the Imperial hotel. G. B. Kemp, representing a well known wireless telegraph and telephone company, was in charge of the exhibition and fluently and obligingly explained to all who called the mysteries of the great invention. Mr. Kemp is a former newspaper man, starting his career under Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal and terminating it as Washington correspondent of John R. McLean's Cincinnati Enquirer.

While Mr. Kemp came in the interest of his company, the demonstration in itself was of great educational value and it is to be regretted that so few of our people took advantage of the opportunity to become familiar with an invention that in point of service to humanity will rank in importance with any discovery of the last century.

The model carried by Mr. Kemp is only a miniature, with low power batteries, but sufficient to show the wonderful possibilities of the instruments. On a stand in the center of the parlor was placed the receiving apparatus with its wiry brass acrostaff towering in the air. At another end of the room Mr. Kemp operated the sending machine, equipped with the regular telegraph key and also having its aerostaff vibrating high overhead. Between the the machines there was no wire, nor connection of any kind, but at the touch of the operator's hand on the sending key, there was immediate response in the receiver across the room. To better show the nature of the electric connection, Mr. Kemp picked up his sending battery and walked outside the parlor wherein sat the receiving apparatus. The doors were closed and a thick partition placed between the two machines. At the touch of the key outside the subtle electricity found its easy way instantaneously from the serostaff outside, through the wall, to the serostaff inside, and the message was ticked off.

This was a demonstration in ministure of the great discovery that in actual use sends an electric message thousands of miles across ocean and mountain, despite storms and climatic differences to a station where there is an instrument accurately tuned to receive it. One may read much of the method of doing it, but until present at the actual transmitting can hardly realize the real importance of the achievment.

### Want Damages For Property Destroyed

Aftermath of the Florence Fight Between Constabulary and Italians.

It will be recalled that about two years ago intense excitement was caused in this section through the attempt of the state constabulary to capture an alleged "Black Hand" Italian in a house at Florence, in their efforts finally dynamiting and burning down the house. Last week Senator T. M. Kurtz introduced into the legislature a bill requesting permission to sue the state for property damages sustained through the action of the constabulary. \$5,800 is the amount seked by the Italians whose property was burned. The question involved is not the right of the state policemen to destroy property in order to arrest and take into custody criminals, but whother or not the state is liable for damages to property so destroyed and owned by law-abiding citizens not responsible In any way for the offender pursued by the constabulary.

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Carload of new sleight, second hand sleighs and bob-sleds for sale at Burns' livery stable.

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